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E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: PFOR, UNGA, KS, KN, BC

SUBJECT: KOREAN QUESTION IN THE UN

REF: A. STATE 225930

B. GABORONE 1126

1. AMBASSADOR MADE DEMARCHE ON KOREAN ISSUE REF A TO SECRETARY EXTERNAL AFFAIRS TIBONE SEPTEMBER 25. AMBASSADOR STRESSED KOREAN ISSUE IS VITAL TO U.S. INTERESTS, NOTED THAT U.S. UNQUESTIONABLY ATTACHES HIGH IMPORTANCE TO BOTSWANA'S VOTE ON FRIENDLY RESOLUTION AND LEFT NO DOUBT THAT LACK OF GOB COOPERATION MIGHT BE REFLECTED IN BILATERAL RELATIONS. AMBASSADOR EXPLAINED NEW U.S. PROPOSALS AND URGED GOB TO VOTE AGAINST HOSTILE RESOLUTION, FOR THE FRIENDLY RESOLUTION AND SUPPORT U.S. POSITION ON PROCEDURAL VOTE AS BEST MEANS OF REDUCING TENSIONS AND STRENGTHENING PEACE ON KOREAN PENINSULA AND IN FURTHERANCE OF CLOSE AND PRODUCTIVE BILATERAL RELATIONS.

2. TIBONE RESPONDED BY SAYING HE UNDERSTOOD IMPORTANCE U.S. ATTACHES TO BOTSWANA'S VOTE AND THAT GOB POSITION STILL FLEXIBLE.
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HE SAID THE USG ATTITUDE TOWARDS PROPOSALS WOULD BE GIVEN

SERIOUS CONSIDERATION.

3. SUGGEST DEPARTMENT ALSO CONSIDER MAKING DEMARCHE MINISTER
EXTERNAL AFFAIRS ARCHIE MOGWE WHO LEADING GOB DELEGATION TO
CURRENT UNGA.

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